GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



Important Information for Charter Buses and Motorcoach Operators

Motorcoach operators provide an important service for tourists and visitors that travel to Washington, DC. The following information provides important tips for motorcoach operators to ensure safety and create a memorable experience for tourists coming to the District to visit the nation's historic capital.

Permits

All bus operators who do not have apportioned tags are required to register with the District Department of Motor Vehicles to obtain a trip permit. www.dmv.dc.gov. A bus not properly registered while operating in the District will be subject to a fine.

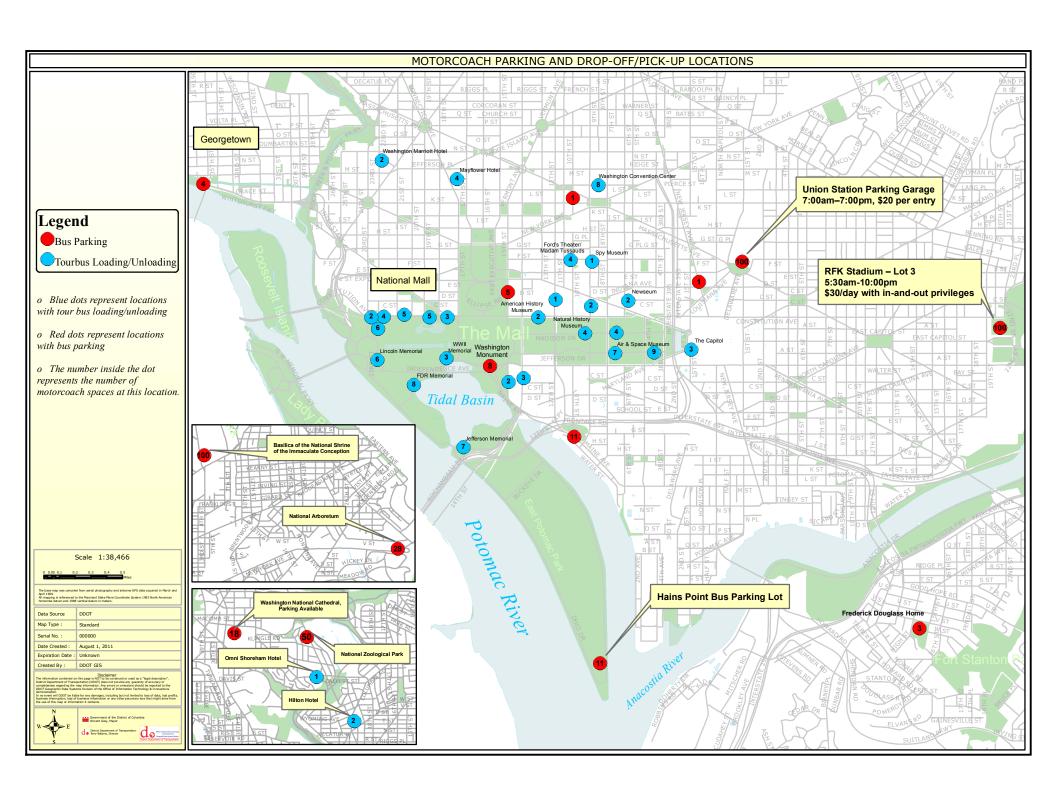
Parking and Protocol

It is important to know and follow the traffic and parking regulations when operating in the city. Be aware of pedestrians and bicyclists and read all signage carefully. District regulations are strictly enforced and violations will result in a ticket. Please refer to the attached map of Motorcoach Parking and Pick-Up/Drop-Off Locations for designated bus parking spaces in the city.

- Please check posted signs before parking as some short and long-term parking is subject to change.
- Don't embark or disembark passengers in "Loading Zones" or at Metrobus stops.
- Don't park in any area posted "No parking" or "No Standing"
- Don't double park.
- Don't park in a bus zone for longer than the posted time limit.
- Don't idle your engine for more than 3 minutes.
- Don't stop, load or park on streets with rush hour prohibitions.
- Don't park in metered areas when the meters are in effect.
- Don't park adjacent to any residential property, school, playground, hospital, church or park. (A standing vehicle that is not loading or unloading passengers is considered to be "parked" regardless of whether the engine is on.) Fine for violation is \$250.

More information about Motorcoach operations in the District can be found at www.goDCgo.com

For any questions or concerns, please call the District Information Line on 311.



Motorcoach Parking and Drop-Off/Pick-Up Locations							
		Number					
		of					
Location	Attraction		Restrictions	Cost			
Curbside Parking Locations							
700-900 block Maine Avenue, SW	Arena Stage/Waterfront	7	7:00am-4:00pm: 4 hour limit	Free			
900-1200 block Maine Avenue, SW	Arena Stage/Waterfront	4	No limit	Free			
1500 block Independence Avenue,							
NW	Washington Monument	8	7:00am-6:30pm: 2 hour limit	Free			
200-400 block 15th Street, NW	White House	5	7:00am-6:30pm: 2 hour limit	Free			
400 block New Jersey Avenue, NW	Hyatt Regency	1	1 hour limit	Free			
3500 block Water St., NW	Georgetown	4	No limit	Free			
1000 block 10th St, NW	Souvenir City	1	7:00am-6:30pm: 1 hour limit	Free			
	Bus Parking Lot Locations						
			5:30am-10:00pm in and out privileges.				
RFK Stadium, Lot 3, NE	N/A	100	Tel: (202) 608-1113	\$30/day			
Union Station Parking Garage, NW	N/A	100	7:00am-7:00pm Tel: (202) 898-1950	\$20			
Hains Point/East Potomac Park, SW	N/A		7:00am-6:00pm	Free			
	Off Street Parking at	Tourist Si	tes				
400 Michigan Avenue, NE	Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception	100	Generally restricted to site visitors. Call for more information. Tel: (202) 526-8300	Free			
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1411 W St, SE	Frederick Douglass Memorial Home	3	967-2283	Free			
3500 Block New York Avenue, NE	National Arboretum	28	Restricted to site visitors. Monday-Friday, 9:00am-1:30pm; Saturday, 10:00am-2:00pm. Tel: (202) 245-2726	Free			

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3101 Wisconsin Avenue, NW	National Cathedral	18	Generally restricted to site visitors, reservation required, limited ability to accommodate non-visitor bus parking. Tel: (202) 537-6207 Generally restricted to site visitors.	No additional charge for visitors; \$50 for non- visitors No additional
3000 block of Connecticut Avenue,			Call for reservations. Tel: (202) 633-	charge for
NW	National Zoo	50	4480	visitors
	Drop-off and Pick-up Locati			,
1700 - 2200 block Constitution	1 .		No Standing Bus Loading and	
Avenue, NW	National Mall	19	Unloading	Free
			No Standing Bus Loading and	
300 block Jefferson Drive, SW	Museum of the American Indian	9	Unloading	Free
			No Standing Bus Loading and	
400 block Jefferson Drive, SW	Air and Space Museum	7	Unloading	Free
400 block Madison Drive, NW	The National Gallery of Art	4	No Standing Bus Loading and Unloading	Free
900 block Madison Drive, NW	Natural History Museum		No Standing Bus Loading and Unloading	Free
Henry Bacon Drive, NW	Lincoln Memorial/Korean War Memorial/Vietnam Veterans Memorial	6	No Standing Bus Loading and Unloading	Free
Daniel French Drive, NW	Lincoln Memorial/Korean War Memorial/Vietnam Veterans Memorial	6	No Standing Bus Loading and Unloading	Free
West Basin Drive, SW	FDR and MLK Memorials	8	No Standing Bus Loading and Unloading	Free
Ohio Drive/East Basin Drive, SW	Jefferson Memorial	7	No Standing Bus Loading and Unloading	Free
15th Street (Raoul Wallenberg), SW - 200 block	- Holocaust Museum	2	No Standing Bus Loading and Unloading	Free

			No Standing Bus Loading and			
Homefront Drive (WWII), SW	World War Two Memorial	3	Unloading	Free		
Drop-off and Pick-up Locations - General						
	Holocaust Museum/ Bureau of					
200 block 14th Street, SW	Engraving and Printing	3	9:30am-9:30pm - 15 minute limit	Free		
			Museum Visitor Bus Loading and			
400 block C Street, NW	The Newseum		Unloading	Free		
Garfield Circle., SW	The Capitol	3	Bus Unloading Only	Free		
200 block 9th St, NW	National Archives	2	No Parking Bus Stand	Free		
300 block 12th Street, NW	The Old Post Office Pavilion	1	No Parking Pick up and Drop off only	Free		
			Loading and Unloading of Buses for			
1200 block Constitution Ave, NW	American History Museum	2	American History	Free		
	Ford's Theatre/Madame		7:00am-6:30pm Drop-off and Pick-up			
600 block 10th Street, NW	Tussauds/Hard Rock Café	2	only - 15 minute limit	Free		
	Ford's Theatre/Madame		7:00am-6:30pm Drop-off and Pick-up			
500 block 10th Street, NW	Tussauds/Hard Rock Café	1	only - 15 minute limit	Free		
	Ford's Theatre/Madame		7:00am-6:30pm Drop-off and Pick-up			
1000 block F Street, NW	Tussauds/Hard Rock Café	1	only - 15 minute limit	Free		
	The International Spy Museum/ The		8am-10pm No Standing or Parking			
800 block F Street, NW	Portrait Gallery	1	Tour Bus Stand	Free		
700 block L St, NW (North side)	Washington Convention Center		No Parking Bus Stand	Free		
700 block L St, NW (South side)	Washington Convention Center	4	No Parking Bus Stand	Free		
1700 block De Sales St, NW	Mayflower Hotel	4	No Parking Tour Bus Stand	Free		
	The Washington Hilton/Buca di					
2000 block T Street, NW	Верро	2	No Parking Tour Bus Stand	Free		
			Omni Shoreham Hotel Bus Loading			
2400 block Calvert St, NW	The Omni Shoreham Hotel	1	and Unloading only 6:30am-8pm	Free		
2100 block Ward Place, NW	The Marriott Hotel	2	No Parking Tour Bus Stand	Free		